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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the claims as follows:

1. (currently amended) A method for inhibiting hepatotoxin-induced liver damage in mammals by blocking carcinogen-induced DNA adduct formation, scavenging free radicals, quenching lipid hydroperoxides, and selectively inhibiting COX-2, said method comprising the steps of:

administering, to a patient, at least two ounces of a formulation comprising processed *Morinda citrifolia* to inhibit effects of carbon tetrachloride within said patient.

2. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said *Morinda citrifolia* is administered in dosages comprising at least two ounces of processed *Morinda citrifolia* juice twice daily on an empty stomach for a period of at least two months.

3. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said *Morinda citrifolia* is in juice form.

4. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said *Morinda citrifolia* is in solid form.

5. (previously presented) The method of claim 1, wherein said *Morinda citrifolia* is in powder form.